


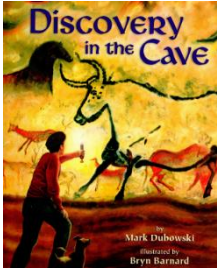
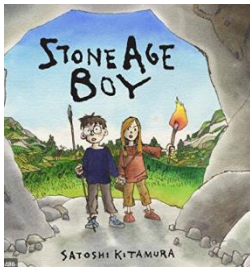


Topic Plan

Year 3		
Spring 2 - 'Stone Age to the Iron Age" - We will be learning about how humans survived the Stone Age, the technical advances humans made during the prehistoric period and the mysterious Stonehenge.		
Key Skills	Key Facts	Key Vocabulary
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use dates to order and place events on a timeline. • Use historic terms related to the period of study. • Describe changes in Britain from the Stone Age to the Iron Age. • Describe where the people and events studied fit within a chronological framework and identify similarities and differences between ways of life in different time periods. • Make confident use of a variety of sources for independent research. • Use knowledge of existing products to design his/her own functional product. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In the early Stone Age, people were nomadic; they were hunters and gatherers. • Flint was used to make tools. • Farming was first invented in the new Stone Age. • Skara Brae is one of the best-preserved Neolithic settlements. • Humans made many technological advances during the Bronze Age, including the first writing systems and the invention of the wheel. • No one really knows why Stonehenge was built. Some theories suggest it could have been linked to studying the stars or for religious purposes. 	<p>Prehistoric - when there was human life before records documented human activity.</p> <p>Paleolithic Period - Old Stone Age (30,000 BCE-10,000 BCE)</p> <p>Mesolithic Period - Middle Stone Age (10,000 BCE-8,000 BCE)</p> <p>Neolithic Period - New Stone Age (8,000 BCE-3,000 BCE)</p> <p>Bronze Age - period of time that was characterised by the use of bronze.</p> <p>Iron Age - final stage of prehistory when iron replaced bronze.</p> <p>Flint - a hard, tough sedimentary rock.</p> <p>Cave art - type of art found on the walls and ceilings of caves.</p>
Key Figures/Places	Reading and Writing Links	
<p>Lascaux Cave</p>  <p>Skara Brae</p>  <p>Stonehenge</p> 	<p>Discovery of the Cave The Stone Age Boy</p>   <p>Stig of the Dump (Class Reader)</p> <p>Writing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Newspaper report • Playscript <p>Alongside this, we will be focusing on year 3 spelling and grammar.</p> 